

**Amendments to the Claims:**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings of claims in the application:

1. (Currently Amended) A printhead circuit for correcting bow in a linear arrangement of elements comprising:

a substrate assembly ~~having~~ for an image exposure line arrangement of a printer, a plurality of LED elements representing said image exposure line arrangement, each LED element having an associated driver subassemblies on said substrate assembly and, each of ~~the~~ said LED elements representing a pixel within an image exposure line;

an interface board coupled to ~~the~~ said substrate assembly, ~~the~~ said interface board having circuitry that processes image exposure data for ~~the~~ said LED elements;

a course bow correction circuit on ~~the~~ said interface board that electronically arranges the pixels generated by said LEDs to improve linearity by integral numbers of pixel itches; and

a fine bow correction circuit located at least partially on ~~the~~ said substrate assembly, ~~the~~ said fine bow correction circuit providing a first circuit common to a plurality of ~~the~~ said LED elements and a second circuit dedicated to a specific LED element, ~~the~~ said second circuit selecting one of a set of [a] delays in activating said LED such that improves linearity of the pixels within ~~the~~ an image exposure line is improved by a fraction of a pixel pitch.

2. (Cancelled)

3. (Currently Amended) The printhead circuit of claim 1, wherein ~~the~~ said fine bow correction circuit is located at least partially on ~~the~~ said interface board.

4. (Currently Amended) The printhead circuit of claim 3, wherein the said fine bow correction circuit that is located at least partially on the said interface board provides at least one circuit trace that carries a plurality of signals to the said fine bow correction circuit on the said substrate assembly, wherein the signals are not concurrently active.

5. (Currently Amended) The printhead circuit of claim 1, wherein the with said fine bow correction, ~~further comprises:~~

~~the said~~ first circuit ~~providing~~ the said set of delays ~~to the~~ for said plurality of LED elements; and

~~the said~~ second circuit ~~selecting~~ one of the delays from said set of delays according to a specific parameter for the said specific LED element.

6. (Currently Amended) The printhead circuit of claim 5, wherein the said parameter further comprises a stored value that enables said second circuit to select[s] one of the delays from said set of delays.

7. (Currently Amended) The printhead circuit of claim 6, wherein the said stored value is within the said fine bow correction circuit, and said fine bow correction circuit further comprises at least one multiplexer and at least one latch per LED element.

8. (Currently Amended) The printhead circuit of claim 1, further comprising a delay repeat circuit that creates multiples of the said set of delays using the said set of delays.

9. (Currently Amended) The printhead circuit of claim 1, wherein the said fine bow correction circuit is implemented at a segment level selected from one of the following LED segment level groupings: 2, 4, 8, or 16 LED elements.

10. (Currently Amended) The printhead circuit of claim 1, wherein ~~the~~ said interface board further comprises a set of printhead brightness tables and a set of printhead correction tables on ~~the~~ said interface board.

11. (Currently Amended) The printhead circuit of claim 1, wherein ~~the~~ said LED elements are arranged in a plurality of rows and wherein ~~the~~ said second circuit selects different delays, from said set of delays, for different rows of LED elements.

12. (Currently Amended) The printhead of claim 11, wherein ~~the~~ said plurality of rows of LED elements further comprises an odd row and an even row, and ~~the~~ said second circuit selects delays that are offset by ~~one~~ a period substantially equal to a selected delay, between ~~the~~ an odd row and ~~the~~ an even.

13.-21. (Cancelled)

22. (Currently Amended) ~~An~~ A method for producing an electronic printing product printhead, having pixel alignment circuitry, ~~defined~~ by the steps of:  
providing a substrate having a plurality of printing elements  
representing an image exposure line, with associated driver circuitry, coupled to an interface board, and timing means for selectively activating said printing elements for exposing each of the printing elements for a an image exposure line, one at a time, for a preselected exposure period, each of said printing elements representing a pixel within an image exposure line;  
creating a coarse adjustment circuit on ~~the~~ said interface board, ~~the~~ said coarse adjustment circuit having circuitry that aligns image exposure line pixel data in integral numbers of lines ~~times~~;  
forming a fine adjustment circuit located at least partially on ~~the~~ said substrate, ~~the~~ said fine adjustment circuit providing a plurality of delays to each of ~~the~~ said printing elements, wherein each of ~~the~~ said delays is a fraction of an exposure period of ~~the~~ said timing means corresponding to a fraction of a pixel pitch; and  
selecting one of the delays in accordance with a predetermined parameter.

23. (Currently Amended) The ~~product~~ method of claim 22, ~~circuit of claim 16~~ wherein ~~the~~ said step of forming further comprises forming ~~the~~ said fine adjustment circuit with a software accessible register for delay selection of each printing element.

24. (Currently Amended) The ~~product~~ method of claim 22, wherein ~~the~~ said step of forming further comprises forming ~~the~~ a fine adjustment circuit wherein ~~the~~ a software accessible register can be loaded via a JTAG serial data path.

25. (Currently Amended) The ~~product~~ method of claim 24, wherein the step of forming further comprises forming the fine adjustment circuit wherein a delay clock having a fixed clock reference for unique fixed delays ~~which~~ has a frequency that can be changed to produce different delay increments.

26. (Currently Amended) The ~~product~~ method of claim 22, wherein ~~the~~ said step of forming further comprises forming ~~the~~ a fine adjustment circuit wherein ~~the~~ a plurality of delays are modifiable to allow for different levels of ~~fine~~ pixel fine adjustment.

27. (Currently Amended) The ~~product~~ method of claim 22, wherein ~~the~~ said step of forming ~~the~~ said fine ~~bow-correction~~ adjustment circuit, forms ~~the~~ a fine bow correction circuit ~~such that it is~~ located at least partially on ~~the~~ said interface board, and provides at least one circuit trace that carries a plurality of signals to ~~the~~ said fine bow correction circuit on ~~the~~ said substrate, wherein ~~the~~ said signals are not concurrently active.

28. (Currently Amended) The ~~product~~ method of claim 22, wherein ~~the~~ said step of selecting further comprises selecting ~~the~~ said delays such that ~~the~~ said delays are repeated with a first delay following a last delay forming a repeated delay circuit from multiples of ~~the~~ said delays.

29. (Currently Amended) The ~~product~~ method of claim 22, wherein ~~the~~ said step of providing further comprises providing ~~the~~ said printing elements arranged in a plurality of rows, and wherein ~~the~~ said fine adjustment circuit selects different delays for different rows of said printing elements.

30. (Currently Amended) The ~~product~~ method of claim 29, wherein ~~the~~ said step of providing further comprises providing as ~~the~~ said plurality of rows, an odd row and an even row, and ~~the~~ said fine adjustment circuit selects delays that are offset by one delay period between ~~the~~ an odd row and ~~the~~ an even row.